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Subject: NO Northern Pass

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Dear Pamela Monroe,

As a resident of New Hampshire I hope the SEC will reject Northern Pass's certificate.

This project offers no tangible long term benefit to our state, but many tangible harms. Jobs created? Only for construction of the Northern Pass. Once construction is completed, most of those jobs go away. Benefit to rate payers? Virtually none. The goal of this project is to transmit power to the more populous regions to our south.

Meanwhile, Eversource and Hydro Quebec, want to install massive electrical towers in some of the most beautiful areas of our state. Tourism in these areas is a major driver of the local economy. Who wants to come to New Hampshire to look at hideous transmission lines.

In addition, Eversource and Hydro Quebec have both said they aren't paying for the project which raises the question whether either of the companies have the financial capability to build and operate this \$1.6 billion project. The transmission towers and lines are going to have a horrible effect on the landscape, historic sites, and the environment in New Hampshire. The transmission like also will not serve our state, as it merely passes through New Hampshire.

The committee should represent the interests of our citizens, and reject this project's certificate to prevent it from harming our state.

Thank you.

Sincerely, Jennifer Friend